

## Message Text

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P 050810Z JUL 78  
FM AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2902  
INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
USMISSION GENEVA PRIORITY  
AMEMBASSY PARIS  
USMISSION USUN NEW YORK

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USEEC, USOECD ALSO FOR EMBASSY

GENEVA FOR ECOSOC DELEGATION

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EGEN, UN, ECOSOC, NL  
SUBJECT: UN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (OVERVIEW COMMITTEE)

REF: A) STATE 161676, B) THE HAGUE 3608

1. AFTER GIVING FURTHER STUDY TO U.S. IDEAS, MFA OFFICIALS  
NOW STATE THAT THEY SUPPORT THE U.S. INITIATIVE TOWARD DEVELOPING  
A DIALOGUE BUT BELIEVE IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO HAVE SOME FURTHER  
EXPLANATION OF U.S. VIEWS. THEY WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW U.S.  
BELIEVES THE OVERVIEW COMMITTEE COULD BE USED TO AVOID AN  
ACROSS THE BOARD APPROACH AND TO ACHIEVE PROGRESS ON A PIECEMEAL,  
AD HOC BASIS. TO ACHIEVE SOUND PROGRESS, THEY STILL BELIEVE  
THAT IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO ARRANGE PACKAGE DEALS IN WHICH  
GROUP B WOULD OFFER SOMETHING TO G-77 IN ORDER TO GET G-77  
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APPROVAL FOR SOMETHING WANTED BY GROUP B. THEY ALSO BELIEVE  
IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO HAVE MORE INFORMATION AS TO HOW THE U.S.  
SEES THE WHOLE PROCESS OF IDENTIFYING SPECIFIC AREAS (PARA 8.B  
OF STATE 161676) IN WHICH PROGRESS TOWARD AGREEMENT MIGHT BE  
ACHIEVED AS WELL AS TYPE OF TACTICS U.S. ENVISAGES USING TO  
ACHIEVE AGREEMENT.

2. MFA DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION LODEWIJK  
VAN GORKOM, WHO WILL HEAD DUTCH DELEGATION TO JULY ECOSOC IN  
GENEVA, HAS ASSURED CHARGE HE WOULD WELCOME OPPORTUNITY FOR  
MORE DETAILED DISCUSSION WITH U.S. OFFICIALS. WE RECOMMEND  
AN EARLY EFFORT BE MADE TO BRIEF HIM.  
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## Message Attributes

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